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In re Application of:

Reichert et al.

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Sir:

Please cancel claims 1-24, without prejudice.

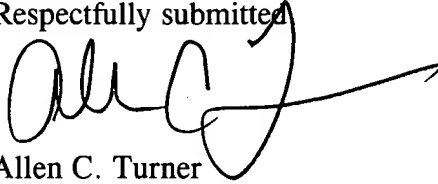
REMARKS

Claims 25-29 remain in the application.

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Applicant requests entry of the foregoing amendment prior to examination of the application on the merits.

Respectfully submitted



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